

Instructions for completing the 2007 NJ Upland Game Bird Hunter Log

Thank you for participating in the Division of Fish and Wildlife's 2007 Upland Game Bird Hunter Program. The information you provide will enhance the Division's knowledge base for the state's upland bird species. Please return the form even if you did not hunt, or hunted but were unsuccessful in harvesting any upland birds.

General Instructions:

Please adhere to the following guidelines:

- Record all of your upland bird hunting trips, *whether successful or unsuccessful*.
- Record the date and county hunted for each hunting trip.
- Only record hunts that take place in the State of New Jersey.
- Only record your individual totals **NOT** those of your hunting partner(s).
- Record one line of the log for each species encountered. For example, if you were woodcock hunting and flushed a grouse, complete one line for woodcock and one line for grouse (both lines will have the same date).
- For bobwhite quail only, please enter the number of coveys, if any, flushed each day.

Land Type

If hunting on a semi-wild property, enter "Semi-wild".

If hunting on a commercial shooting preserve, enter "Commercial".

If hunting on private land, *other than semi-wild or commercial*, enter "Private".

If hunting on public property, enter the name of the property (example: Del. Water Gap NRA).

Hunt Duration

Please enter the number of hours hunted, rounded to the nearest ½ hour.

Species

Please enter the species encountered (bobwhite quail, ruffed grouse, pheasant or woodcock). *If you did not encounter any of these species, enter the primary species that you were hunting for on that date.*

Total # of flushes

Please enter the number of birds of each species you saw or flushed, *including* re-flushes.

If you did not see or flush any upland birds during your hunting trip, enter "0".

Birds shot and retrieved

Please enter the number of birds you shot and retrieved.

If you did not harvest any birds during your hunting trip, enter "0".

Additional Forms

Please contact Principal Biologist Andrew Burnett at (609) 748-2058 or email at

Andrew.Burnett@dep.state.nj.us **before** the last two lines are completed. If he is not available, please leave your name and Survey ID number on the answering machine/email. A new sheet will be sent to you as soon as possible (allow 2-3 days for US mail service).

<p>Please return the completed form after hunting season concludes (Feb. 18, 2008) to Andrew Burnett via fax (609-748-2057) or mail to: Nacote Creek Research Station, PO Box 418, Port Republic, NJ 08241-0418.</p>

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Survey ID #

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Please add your Conservation ID #

Please review the instructions on the reverse side and use the table below to describe *only your hunting effort* (do not include other hunter efforts) for the following upland game birds *only*: bobwhite quail, ruffed grouse, pheasant and woodcock. **Use one line for each species pursued or encountered** (see example in gray).

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